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**SAFE AND HEALTHY  
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***One Love Louisville* Youth Implementation Team  
Application**



Dear Youth Implementation Team Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in serving on the *One Love Louisville* Implementation Team. We are excited about your interest to be a member of the team!

The *One Love Louisville* Youth Implementation Team is:

-  A great opportunity for you to make a difference for yourself, your family, your peers and your community!
-  A chance to learn and give your insight on issues that impact our city!
-  An experience that has the potential to open up many doors to a successful future!

Team members will receive the following benefits:

- Insight Into Local Government
- Leadership Development Skills
- Learn Collaborative/Group Processes
- Opportunity to Meet Leaders throughout Government, Community, Faith and Corporate Organizations
- Gain Knowledge of City Violence Prevention Efforts
- Attendance to Various Events and Activities
- Have Voices/Thoughts/Opinions Heard
- Resume Building Experiences
- Ability to Inform and Impact Others on a Large Scale
- 40+ Community Service Hours

As you begin your application process, remember to read through all materials carefully and don't forget the **deadline: May 8, 2016**. If you have any questions, please contact [Quaniqua.Carthan@louisvilleky.gov](mailto:Quaniqua.Carthan@louisvilleky.gov) or 502-574-1903.

Good Luck!



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### Application Process:

1. Applications consist of 1) Applicant Information, 2) Getting to Know You, 3) Short Answer, 4) Recommendation Form (only 1 recommendation)
2. Applications will be accepted from April 8, 2016 until May 8, 2016. **Applications are available on the Office for Safe and Healthy Neighborhoods' website**-To be completed online OR paper

Submit applications: Online at [www.louisvilleky.gov/safeneighborhoods](http://www.louisvilleky.gov/safeneighborhoods) OR  
In-Person at 527 West Jefferson, Louisville, KY 40202, Suite 201

3. All applicants will be notified no later than May 17, 2016. Selected applicants will be asked to interview with the selection committee (interviews are mandatory for those selected).
4. All selected applicants will be asked to sign-up for a time to interview on **Saturday, May 21, 2016**. Each interview will be approximately one hour. Applicants will be able to choose time slots between 9:30am-2:00pm.
5. The 2016-2017 Youth Implementation Team will be selected and notified no later than May 30, 2016.

### Requirements

- ❖ Be at least 13 years old AND no older than 21 years of age AND live in Louisville, KY
- ❖ Complete the attached application
- ❖ Submit at least **1 Letter of Recommendation**

**Background & Description:** The *One Love Louisville* Youth Implementation Team (YIT) is a team of youth that serve as advisors to the Office for Safe and Healthy Neighborhoods Team and its partners. The team and its partners consist of the following representatives: Mayor, Chief of Community Building, Safe and Healthy Neighborhoods' Director and Coordinator, Louisville Metro Public Health and Wellness representative and Louisville Metro Police Department representative. The **primary goal of YIT is to assist with the execution of the *One Love Louisville: Youth Edition Action Plan***. The YIT meets from June 18, 2016-June 17, 2017 for a minimum of 1 day per month (3hours).

*One Love Louisville* is a campaign launched in January 2015 by Mayor Greg Fischer's Office for Safe and Healthy Neighborhoods. This campaign focuses on reducing homicide, suicide, and drug overdose rates throughout the city of Louisville with emphasis on youth violence prevention. This campaign aims to increase opportunities in 1) Community Building, 2) Education, 3) Employment & Economic Development 4) Health & Social Wellness and 5) Juvenile & Criminal Justice.

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## Youth Implementation Team Membership Application

### I. Applicant Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_Male \_\_\_\_Female

Address: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ (City), \_\_\_\_\_ (State)

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_ Cell number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_.com

School/University: \_\_\_\_\_

Race/Ethnicity:

\_\_\_\_ White or Caucasian \_\_\_\_\_ Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific

\_\_\_\_ Black or African American \_\_\_\_\_ Islander

\_\_\_\_ Asian \_\_\_\_\_ Hispanic or Latin

\_\_\_\_ American Indian or Alaskan Native \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*If applicant is under 18 years of age\***

Parent/Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_ Cell number ( ) \_\_\_\_\_-\_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_.com

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_



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**II. Getting to Know You...There is NO Right Answer!**

Please, answer the next three questions in 50 words or less.

1. What other organizations, groups or leadership activities are you currently in?

2. Who is your mentor? If you don't have one, would you like a mentor?

3. If you could have one super power, what would it be and why? Don't be shy!

Please complete the following sentences:

4. Most people \_\_\_\_\_  
to be successful.

5. \_\_\_\_\_ is/are the type(s)  
of violence that people under 24 years of age experience the most.

6. What are your top three strengths?

- a. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. \_\_\_\_\_
- c. \_\_\_\_\_

YOU ARE ALMOST FINISHED! JUST A FEW MORE QUESTIONS!





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**III. Short Answer...Answer Honestly, Please and Thank You**

Please, answer the next three questions in 100 words or less. (Attach paper for more space.)

1. How does violence affect you, your family, your peers and your community?

2. When you hear the phrase “violence prevention”, what does it mean to you?

3. If you were the mayor of Louisville, what would you do to reduce youth violence and why? What’s your big idea for reducing youth violence?



Great! You've completed the *One Love Louisville* Youth Implementation Team Membership Application!

If completing paper version, please scan and email to: [Quaniqua.Carthan@louisvilleky.gov](mailto:Quaniqua.Carthan@louisvilleky.gov) OR

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RE: Youth Implementation



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***One Love Louisville* Youth Implementation Team Application:  
Recommendation Form**

**Applicant's Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**Recommender's Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home number: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Cell number (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_.com

Relationship to applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

**Short Answer Questions: Please respond in 100 words or less based on your experience with the applicant**

1. Why do you recommend the applicant?

2. How does the applicant handle interacting and engaging within diverse settings?

3. What type of leader is the applicant; please give an example of a time when this was exhibited?

**THANK YOU!**